

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS  
LOK SABHA**

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3575  
ANSWERED ON:07.08.2002  
EXTRADITION OF UNION CARBIDE CORPORATION CHIEF  
NARESH KUMAR PUGLIA

**Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:**

- (a) The steps taken so far for the extradition of Union Carbide Corporation chief, Warren Anderson; and
- (b) the present status thereof?

**Answer**

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI OMAR ABDULLAH)

- (a) The request for extradition of Mr. Warren Anderson has been examined in detail by the Government, in consultation with concerned authorities.
- (b) The investigating agency has been asked to strengthen the evidentiary links connecting Mr. Anderson to the Bhopal Gas Leak Tragedy, so that the extradition request could be forwarded to the US Government.